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\$100.00 - Cash to Paul Obelkevich - 25 hours at \$4.00/hour; in the period 1/9/84 -- 1/14/84

\$162.50 - to Ray Sniper; \$62.50 in Cash; SRP Check #177 for \$100.00; Ray worked 20.25 hours in the period 1/9/84 - 1/14/84; he owes me \$40 in advances & so his net pay was \$162.50

We agreed not to work tomorrow -- but we will on Monday, which is, I believe, a National Holiday.

No sign of Job today at all -- he had to help his father cut wood & know. I didn't really expect to see him. When it's cold out he stays close to the family woodburning stove & television.

I was in a very festive mood when I returned here at 10 PM. I turned on most of the house lights and put on "Gurrelieder", and turned it up very high. Also listened to Mahler's Symphony No. 8. As I worked at my desk I drank sherry. During the final section of Gurrelieder I took my sherry & went into the Library and listened there. Very beautiful indeed.

